(b) Efforts are continuously on to give LPG connection to as many applicants as early as possible.

[*English*]

Import of Crude Oil

4534. SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) percentage of the crude oil imported in the country as compared to the entire consumption of the country as well as percentage of rise in the prices thereof during the last two years; and

(b) the percentage of rise in the prices of diesel and petrol during this period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHAN KUMAR): (a) Quantity of Crude Oil imported during 1989-90 and 1990-91 was 37.5% and 40% respectively of the total Crude Oil processed during these years.

The average C.I.F. price of imported crude oil in 1989-90 and 1990-91 was about 30.6% and 40.9% higher than the previous years respectively.

(b) The ex-storage prices of Diesel and petrol (MS 87) increased by 17.38% and 16.25% respectively during 1989-90 and by 25% during 1990-91.

Profit/Loss of Farms Managed by State Farms Corporation of India Limited

4535. KUMARI VIMLA VERMA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state the State Farms Corporation of India Limited during 1988-89, 1989-90 and 1990-91?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): The position with regard to net profit/loss of the farms being managed by the State Farms Corporation of India Limited is as under:-

Name of farm	1990-91 (Tentative)	1989-90	1988-89 (Rs. in lakh Profit/Loss (–) (+)
1	2	3	4
*C.S.F., Suratgarh	(+) 29.22	(+) 95.85	(+) 154.96
C.S F., Sardargar	(+) 10.80	(+) 75.66	(+) 109.32
C.S.F., Jatsar	(–) 92.56	(–) 62.10	(–) 48.17
C.S.F., Hissar	(+) 132.39	(+) 47.15	(+) 74.19
C.S.F., Ladhowal	(+) 9.23	(–) 2.00	(–) 6.08
C.S.F., Bahraich	(+) 17.19	(+) 17.66	(+) 3.71
C.S.F., Raebareli	(–) 9.95	(–) 12.66	(–) 13.46
C.S.F., Kolilabari	(+) 11.32	(+) 5.82	(+) 4.61
C.S.F., Barpeta	(–) 0.30	(–) 0.75	(–) 0.97
C.S.F., Raichur	(+) 14.25	(–) 19.36	(–) 61.34

Name of farm	*1990-91*	*1989-90*	*1988-89 (Rs. in lakh Profit/Loss (–) (+)*
	(Tentative)		
1	*2*	*3*	*4*
C.S.F., Chengam	(+) 0.98	(–) 75.52	(–) 30.68
C.S.F., Cannanore	(+) 7.98	(–) 0.45	(–) 42.58
C.S.F., Mizoram	(–) 33.98	(–) 27.62	(–) 20.01

*(Central State Farm)